



## Wayne G. Young

November 19, 1936 - August 11, 2024

Wayne Goodwin Young, 87, of Bonita Springs, Florida, passed away on Sunday, August 11, 2024, at VITAS Healthcare Inpatient Hospice in Naples, Florida. Wayne was born on November 19, 1936, in Grosse Pointe Farms, Michigan, a son of the late Lawrence C. and Marion (Goodwin) Young. He was the beloved husband of Nancy Young, who preceded him in death in 2020. They were both graduates of Denby High School and members of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Detroit. Wayne was the devoted father of Lisa Young (Anthony Bigornia) of Chicago, Illinois, and Rochelle Albert (Jeff) of New Buffalo, Michigan; cherished grandfather of Sydney and Kasey Albert and Parker and Sienna Bigornia; and beloved uncle to many nieces and nephews. Wayne was preceded in death by his siblings Terry, Darrell, Laurel (Bomers), and Brian.

Wayne served in the United States Army from 1957-59. He took over the family painting contracting business started by his father, L.C. Young Painting & Decorating, expanding it from residential services to an enterprise with commercial projects throughout the automotive industry. Wayne was a very proud father and grandfather and enjoyed golfing, camping, snowmobiling, playing cards (especially euchre), and watching sports with his family and friends. For many years, Wayne was an avid bowler and fisherman and a member of the Warren (Michigan) Jaycees, and he enjoyed spending time on Harsens Island, Michigan. But he was never happier than when he was deer

hunting in Hulbert, Michigan, where he was a dedicated member of the Maple Ridge Club. Wayne was a resident of Shelby Township, Michigan, for more than 20 years before moving to Bonita Springs over 25 years ago. He will be deeply missed.

A celebration of Wayne's life will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Wayne's name may be made to support the college dreams of high-achieving golf caddies through the Evans Scholars Foundation, 2501 Patriot Boulevard, Glenview, IL 60026-8022 or to support the important work of the American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box 7023, Merrifield, VA 22116-7023.

Arrangements are being handled by Shikany's Bonita Funeral Home, Family Owned Since 1978.

# Tribute Wall



“ Wayne was always one to listen to your stories while also telling a few good ones of deer camp! I will certainly miss his passion for Maple Ridge and his appreciation of its members. Have a great hunt in heaven Wayne! Britt

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**Britt Michel** - September 01, 2024 at 07:19 PM

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“ Wayne was a valued member of the Maple Ridge Club and will be missed. I have many happy memories of our times together, he was true gentlemen and the camp won't be the same.

*Rick Tadajewski  
Maple Ridge Club*

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**Rick Tadajewski** - September 01, 2024 at 10:48 AM

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“ He was the nicest guy and always wanted to make sure you were ok

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**carol wolfe** - August 21, 2024 at 04:55 PM